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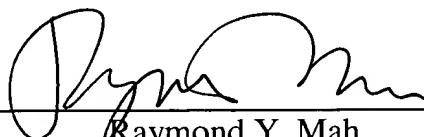
In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 6, 2004, Applicant elects Group I (claims 1, 4-25, 29-33 and 39) without traverse.

A prompt Office Action on the merits is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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